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PERSONAL NOTES

University of Kansas.—Mr. Arthur Jerome Boynton has become assistant professor of economics and sociology in the University of Kansas. Mr. Boynton was born at Janesville, Wis., December 11, 1875, and educated in the public schools, in Beloit Academy and in Beloit College (Ph. B., 1896). For four years Mr. Boynton was teacher of biology and economics in the City High School at Sparta, Wis. During the next two years he received the A. B. from Harvard (1901) and the A. M. from Columbia University in 1902. The year 1902-03 was spent at Harvard.

University of Michigan.—Mr. Frank Burr Marsh has been appointed assistant in history in the University of Michigan. Mr. Marsh was born March 4, 1880, at Big Rapids, Mich., received his preparatory education in the local public schools, and his college course in the University of Michigan, graduating with the Class of 1902. The year 1902-03 was spent at the Sorbonne in Paris.

Dr. Harrison Standish Smalley, who was last year assistant in political economy in the University of Michigan, has been appointed instructor in that institution. He was born in Chicago, April 18, 1878, and educated in the public schools in that city, and in the University of Michigan (A. B., 1900). Dr. Smalley pursued graduate studies in the University of Michigan, 1900-01, 1902-03 and in Cornell University, 1901-02. During the second year at Michigan he was a fellow in political economy and finance.

Under the direction of the Statistician of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Dr. Smalley prepared a report on "State Railroad Regulation from 1890 to 1902." This report has been published by the Commission. Dr. Smalley has also published "A New Phase of Corporation Control in the World To-day," April, 1903.

Dr. Claude Halstead Van Tyne has been called to the University of Michigan as assistant professor in charge of American history department. Dr. Van Tyne was born at Tecumseh, Mich., October 16, 1870, educated in the local public schools and at the State University, receiving the A. B. in 1896. In 1896-97 he was at Heidelberg, 1897 Leipzig and Paris and from 1898-1900 at the University of Pennsylvania as fellow in history, receiving the Ph. D. in 1900. For the next three years he was senior fellow in the last-named institution and in 1903 he spent six months in Washington, D. C., making a report for the Carnegie Institution on the facilities for historical research.

Dr. Van Tyne is a member of the American Historical Association, the Pennsylvania Historical Society and he is editor of *Foundations of American History*, published by the Booklovers' Library.

Dr. Van Tyne has published the following:

"*The Loyalists in the American Revolution.*" Macmillan Company, 1902.
8vo. 360 pp.

"Brief History of the United States." Published by the United States Government for distribution in the Philippines.

"Letters of Daniel Webster." McClure, Phillips & Co., 1902. 8vo. 770 pp.

College of the City of New York.—Professor John H. Finley, late of Princeton, has become president of the College of the City of New York.

Since 1900,¹ Dr. Finley has published the following:

"The Isle of Pines." Scribner's Magazine, February, 1903.

Monthly contributions to *The Lamp*. Chas. Scribner's Sons.

Frequent contributions to *Harper's Weekly* on political subjects, 1902-1903.

New York University.—Dr. Frederick A. Cleveland has been appointed professor of finance in the New York University.

During the past two years Dr. Cleveland has held the following positions: Instructor in Finance, University of Pennsylvania, 1900-03.

Member of Committee on Uniform Municipal Accounting and Statistics of the National Municipal League.

Secretary of Committee on Uniform Municipal Accounting and Statistics.

Lecturer in finance, New York University, 1902-1903.

Professor in finance, New York University, 1903-1904.

Associated with Haskins & Sells, certified public accountants, 30 Broad street, New York.

Director of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

Since the last personal note in January, 1901,² Dr. Cleveland has published the following works:

"Funds and Their Uses." In D. Appleton & Co.'s Business Series, 1902. Pp. 318.

"First Lessons in Finance." D. Appleton & Co.'s Twentieth Century Text-Book Series, 1903. (The same being a revised edition of *"Funds and Their Uses."*)

"Is the United States Treasury Responsible for the Present Monetary Disturbance?" Annals of American Academy, November, 1902.

"The Present Financial Outlook." Annals of American Academy, March, 1903.

"Memorial Edition of Essays on Accountancy and Business Education." By Chas. Waldo Haskins. Introduction and biographical sketch by the editor. Harper & Bros., 1903.

Dr. Cleveland has also contributed a series of financial articles to the *Railway World*, and has written for financial journals.

University of Pennsylvania.—Dr. Jacob Elon Conner has been appointed instructor in economics in the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Conner was born at Wilmington, Clinton County, Ohio, but educated in Iowa, going through the public schools of Henry County, Howes Academy at Mt. Pleasant and the State University, graduating as

¹ See *THE ANNALS*, vol. xvi, p. 282, September, 1900.

² See *THE ANNALS*, vol. xvii, p. 108.

Bachelor of Arts in 1891. Graduate work was pursued at Yale, 1891-1892, Chicago 1892-1893, University of Iowa as fellow 1900-1902, receiving the Ph. D. in 1903. He was principal of the Congregational Academy at Pt. Byron, Ill., 1893-1896, held a similar position at Denmark, Ia., and in 1902-1903 was assistant in commerce and finance in the State University of Iowa. He is a member of the following societies: The American Economic Association, the Iowa Political Science Club, the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

Dr. Conner has published the following:

"*Uncle Sam Abroad.*" Rand, McNally & Co., 1900. Pp. 250.

An article under same title in the *World To-day*, August, 1903.

Dr. James Wilford Garner³ has been appointed instructor in political science at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Garner has been lecturer at Columbia University and acting editor of the department of political science of the New International Encyclopedia. In the latter capacity he has contributed most of the articles in American History and Political Science to the Encyclopedia from the fourth volume on, numbering about three hundred. Among the more important of these are:

Articles on the governments of American and European countries, except Austria-Hungary.

Articles on the Missouri Compromise, Monroe Doctrine, Municipal Corporations, Nullification, Northwest Territory, Nicaragua Canal, Neutrality, Panama Canal, Reconstruction, Privateering, Referendum, Representation, Secession.

Mr. Thomas W. Mitchell,⁴ who was last year assistant instructor in economics and statistics in the State University of Iowa, has become assistant in economics in the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Joseph Russell Smith has been appointed instructor in commerce in the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Smith was born at Lincoln, Loudoun County, Va., February 3, 1874, and educated in the Friends' School at that place and Jenkintown, Pa. He studied in the University of Pennsylvania, 1893-1894 and 1897-1898, receiving the Bachelor's degree. In 1896 and 1897 he attended the summer sessions of the University Extension Society and in 1898-1899 and 1902-1903 did graduate work in the University of Pennsylvania. The University year 1901-1902 was spent at Leipzig and the Ph. D. degree was received at the University of Pennsylvania, 1903, while Harrison fellow in economics. The Doctor's thesis was on "The Organization of the Ocean-Carrying Trade."

In 1895-1896 Dr. Smith was teacher of history and geography at Abington Friends' School, Jenkintown, Pa. He was instructor in history at the George School, Newtown, Pa., during 1896-1897 and 1898-1899. From 1899-1901 he was with the Isthmian Canal Commission at Washington, assisting Professor Emory R. Johnson with traffic investigations. He is a member of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

³ See *THE ANNALS*, vol. xx, p. 402, September, 1902.

⁴ See *THE ANNALS*, vol. xx, p. 630, November, 1902.

The list of his published writings is as follows:

"*The Philippine Islands and American Capital.*" Popular Science Monthly, June, 1899.

"*Western South America and its Relation to American Trade.*" Annals of American Academy of Political and Social Science, November, 1901.

"*American Forestry—A New Career.*" Forum, May, 1902.

"*Geography in Germany. I. The Primary and Secondary Schools. II. The University.*" Journal of Geography, November and December, 1902.

"*The Economic Geography of the Argentine Republic.*" Bulletin of the American Geographic Society, April, 1903.

Princeton University.—Dr. Arthur Cleveland Hall has been called to Princeton University as instructor in economics and sociology. Dr. Hall was born in New York City, October 25, 1865, received his early education in a private school at Middletown, Conn.; St. John's Military School, Manlius, N. Y. He was four years at Trinity College and received the A. B. in 1888. His graduate work was pursued at Johns Hopkins University, 1892-1894; Columbia University, 1894-1895 (fellow in sociology), 1898-1900, 1902-1903. The Ph. D. was conferred by Columbia in 1901.

From 1888 to 1892 Dr. Hall was in the printing and publishing business in New York and in 1891-1892 he was assistant business manager of the New Bedford *Evening Post*. While a graduate student he worked for charity organizations in Baltimore, Brooklyn and New York, investigated the Coxey movement of 1893, was assistant superintendent of the Bureau of Charities and Corrections, at World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893.

In 1895 he was volunteer tenement inspector for the R. W. Gilder Tenement Commission and from 1901-1903 was in charge of the Orange Valley Social Settlement, and New Jersey state delegate to National Prison Association.

Dr. Hall has published the following:

"*Crime in its Relation to Social Progress.*" Columbia University Press, 1902. Pp. xvii, 427.

"*An Observer in Coxey's Camp.*" The Independent, May, 1894.

"*Cuttyhunk.*" The New England Magazine, September, 1897.

Purdue University.—Mr. Edward Hatton Davis has been appointed instructor in economics and history in Purdue University. Mr. Davis was born March 27, 1879, at Hyde Park, Norfolk County, Mass. His early education was obtained in the local grammar school and in the Berkeley and Chauncey Hall Schools in Boston. In 1900 the Bachelor's degree was received from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and the year 1902-1903 was spent in the School of Political Science, Columbia University.

During the summer of 1900, Mr. Davis was special agent for Manufactures for the United States Census, and this was followed by two years' service as statistical clerk in the Department of Municipal Statistics, Boston, Mass.

Western Reserve University.—Dr. Elbert Jay Benton has been appointed instructor in history in the Western Reserve University. Dr. Benton was born at Dubuque, Ia., and educated in the public schools of Holton, Kan., and Campbell College, receiving the Bachelor's degree in 1895. He went to

Johns Hopkins University as University scholar in 1901, as fellow in 1902, and received the Ph. D. in 1903.

From 1897 to 1900 Dr. Benton was instructor in history in the Lafayette (Ind.) High School.

He has published the following works:

"Taxation in Kansas." 1899, 40 pp. 12mo. Johns Hopkins Studies.

"The Wabash Trade Route in the Development of the Old Northwest." 1903, 112 pp. 12mo. Johns Hopkins Studies.